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STYNER NOT MURDERED.

Railroad Official Tried to Commit Suicide in Mexico.

Mexico City, Feb. 22.—Word reached this city that a story was in circulation in the United States that the recent general manager of the Mexican Central railroad, F. E. Styner, had been murdered by a member of the anti-American society. The story is absolutely without foundation. No such society as the one mentioned exists here. Styner is lying at the point of death in his home here as the result of self-inflicted wounds. On Saturday last Styner resigned his position as general manager of the Mexican railroad and on Monday morning he was found lying across a bed in his room with blood flowing from a wound in his throat, which he had inflicted with a razor. His condition is bad.

The murder story was perhaps due to well intentioned friends of Styner residing here, who wired his father in Indianapolis, saying that he had been attacked and badly wounded.

Styner is one of the best known railroad men in the republic.

Favor Reciprocal Demurrage.

Milwaukee, Feb. 22.—The Wisconsin Retail Lumber Dealers' association in convention adopted a resolution favoring national legislation on the question of reciprocal demurrage as between the shipper and common carrier.

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\$12.00 regular art squares at.....	\$7.50
\$12, \$14 and \$18 bureaus, chiffoniers at.....	\$7.50, \$8.50, \$15
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\$5.50 set of Rogers silverware, 12 d. w. at.....	\$3.75
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Other knives and forks at cost and below.	
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and so on. Call and see me.	

E. J. ROHNE,

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STRAIN IS TOO GREAT

EVELYN THAW BREAKS DOWN
UNDER STRESS OF CROSS-
EXAMINATION.

JEROME SHOWS NO MERCY

COMPELS WITNESS TO LAY BARE
ALL THE DARK DETAILS OF
HER PAST LIFE.

New York, Feb. 22.—Under the stress of a cross-examination in which District Attorney Jerome gave no quarter, Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw broke down upon the witness stand. With blinding tears burning their way down cheeks which from ashen white had flushed to crimson, she admitted that after her first experience with Stanford White her relations with the architect continued for several months. But this was not all. There were other confessions, which, while damaging to her own character, accentuated all the more the terrible personal sacrifice she is making in the effort to save her husband from death in the electric chair. The case has progressed to the point where the defendant has been lost sight of. His girl-like wife is the figure about whom the storm lashes its fury. She it is whose life is being searched out and who is being held up to scorn by the prosecuting officer.

Thaw, his face buried in his hands, might easily have been out of the courtroom picture and none would have missed him. All eyes were upon the witness chair and the slight figure in blue which occupied it. During the morning and at all times heretofore Mrs. Thaw has had to sit on the edge of the chair in order that her feet might reach the floor. To make her more comfortable for the long ordeal still ahead of her, a footstool and back cushion were provided during the afternoon. At the close of the most eventful day of the trial, Mr. Jerome announced that he probably would keep Mrs. Thaw under fire for two more days. Adjournment was taken until Monday morning although at one time Justice Fitzgerald said that to accommodate out of town witnesses he would hold court both Friday and Saturday.

Jerome Pitiless in His Probing.

There was no subject affecting the witness of so intimate a nature that the district attorney hesitated to haul it from its hiding place and hold it before the gaze of the world all the while requiring that she should recognize and own the fault in her own words.

When Mr. Jerome was flaying the witness with questions as to her relations with White carrying her from place to place, and demanding to know every detail, and while bitter tears were welling to her eyes, two newspaper women accustomed to harsher scenes of life, left their places in the courtroom and made a hasty retreat out of the big portals. At last the prosecutor himself relented somewhat and suggested that the proceedings suspend. Mr. Delmas thought he detected an unfavorable slant to this and protested that the witness would be able to proceed. Mrs. Thaw wiped her eyes, stiffened up a bit, and nodded to Mr. Jerome to proceed.

After bringing out that her relations with White continued for some time, Mr. Jerome went deeper. Mrs. Thaw admitted that in 1903, after the return from Europe, she spent the night at Thaw's apartments in New York and that for three weeks he and she occupied connecting apartments at the Grand hotel in this city.

Mrs. Thaw admitted freely and with frankness that the champagne which she had declared had tasted bitter the night she lost consciousness in the mirrored bedroom was no more bitter than any other champagne she had drunk. In fact, she declared it tasted like all the rest. She denied that she

had intended for the jury to assume otherwise.

Made a Damaging Statement.

Mrs. Thaw made what was considered perhaps her most damaging statement to the defendant when she said he had showed her copies of cablegrams that were being sent to Stanford White from Europe asking him to use his influence with a certain man in London to prevent Mrs. Nesbit from "raising a fuss," and interfering with Evelyn continuing in the company of Thaw.

Mrs. Thaw also was forced to admit that when she and her mother went abroad with Thaw in 1903 they were still drawing upon the bounty of Stanford White. Evelyn declared that she had a letter of credit for \$400 or \$500 which was given to her by White and which she later turned over to Thaw. There was still a balance in the Mercantile Trust company also to her order.

"But mamma got all of that," said the witness.

Mr. Jerome dwelt for a long while upon the subject of the cablegrams which Thaw is said to have sent to White. He brought out that the cablegrams were sent after Thaw knew of the relations which had existed between Miss Nesbit and the architect. Mrs. Thaw would not admit that she knew positively who sent the cablegrams or whether her name was signed to them.

"Surely," remarked Mr. Jerome, "you don't mean to say that he signed his own name?"

"No," she replied, "I don't mean that at all."

A letter written by Mrs. Thaw in 1904 and telling of her gay life in Paris with Harry Thaw and a "bunch from the tenderloin" was read to the jury by Mr. Jerome. This brought out more testimony as to "the Dead Rat," a Parisian cafe. There seemed to be nothing in the witness' past life about which the prosecutor was not informed. He seemed to have been able to trace her every step, largely due, doubtless, to the typewritten statement of the mother, which Mr. Jerome nearly always holds in his hand while hurling questions at the daughter. In single spaced typewriting, the statement seems to cover fully seventy-five pages.

The springing of sensations did not all rest with the district attorney. Mr. Delmas sent a genuine thrill through the courtroom by declaring that he had been informed it was the purpose of the district attorney to indict Mrs. Thaw. Mr. Jerome denied that any such statements had been made. He did not deny the purpose.

Called Hartridge to the Stand.

This incident came about near the close of the forenoon session, when Mr. Jerome, in an effort to make the defense produce certain letters from Stanford White which Mrs. Thaw had declared were in the possession of Clifford Hartridge, one of her husband's attorneys, called Mr. Hartridge to the witness stand. The lawyer declined to answer all questions relating to the letters and when it became necessary for him to give some better reason than the mere fact that he was attorney of record for the defendant, Mr. Delmas arose and stated that Mr. Hartridge had been retained by Mrs. Thaw to protect her interests when she heard the threats that she was to be indicted.

During the afternoon when Mrs. Thaw had been recalled she declared she was perfectly willing that the letters should be produced.

"They are your property, are they not?" asked Mr. Jerome.

"No, I gave them to Mr. Thaw." Mr. Jerome directed his assistant, Mr. Garvan, to have a subpoena issued for Mr. Hartridge. When this was done, Mr. Jerome again demanded the letters. Mr. Hartridge said he had no intention of complying, as he had received the letters from the hands of the defendant. Mr. Jerome appealed to Justice Fitzgerald. He had neglected to have an affidavit made as to the service of the subpoena and Justice Fitzgerald said there was nothing upon which he could act. Mr. Garvan was directed by his chief to draw up the affidavit. There the matter rested, however. Mr. Jerome made no further move.

Wanted Physicians to Testify.

Just after luncheon recess the district attorney wanted permission to discontinue the cross-examination of Mrs. Thaw long enough to take the testimony of Doctors Deemar of Kittanning, Pa., and Bingham of Pittsburgh, both of whom are to testify as to traces of insanity in both branches of the defendant's family.

Jerome said he was informed the physicians were about to leave the jurisdiction of the court. "They are returning to Pittsburgh," said Mr. Hartridge, "but they will be back at any time they are wanted. Mrs. Thaw is under a most severe strain and her examination should be concluded at once."

In view of the district attorney's statement, Justice Fitzgerald thought Doctors Deemar and Bingham should be heard. They were called to the stand and said that, while they were anxious to get back to their patients, they would stay if necessary.

Mr. Jerome insisted that their testimony be taken and Thaw's counsel insisted that Mrs. Thaw's cross-examination should proceed.

CARSON PIRIE SCOTT & CO.

WHOLESALE DRY GOODS.

Our patrons,
Brainerd, Minn.
Kind Friends:

The color to predominate in a season is always an item of interest, but this spring it is quite without any particular leading shade which is due to the enormous quantities of fancies shown. Light tan much upon the biscuit or champagne shades is much shown and will be seen in many costumes while onion brown will be conspicuous among those wishing to wear something striking, but it will be far from a popular shade. The novelties are so pretty and desirable, and since it has been some time since they have been worn extensively, they are scheduled for popularity. We intimated in a former letter that silks will again be very popular and every thing seen since then only confirms the former prediction.

We are so pleased with the outlook for suit popularity that our showing this year will be extensive. We have spent the day in selecting them. We mention them at this time that we may impress upon you the fact that you need look no further than "Michael's" this year for a suit.

As we look over the market we are very much gratified to think that we purchased so heavily of laces earlier in the season for the demand is so much greater than the supply that it is not possible to secure many desirable styles at this time.

We secured some very desirable ribbons for our spring selling. This section of our store must not lag as we have always taken particular pride in this line. Best of all our store will profit by some very clever novelties that are being selected. Those things which give distinction in dress.

There is no desire to tire you, but you should know that our art needlework section is being replenished with some very new things.

Very sincerely,

H. Michael

Just before adjournment for the day, however, Mr. Jerome said he felt that the physicians would be available when wanted and asked that the recess over the holiday and until Monday be taken. Counsel for the defense consented.

WOMAN HEAD OF ROBBER GANG.

Planned Robberies of New York Boardinghouses.

New York, Feb. 22.—Jewelry to the value, the police say, of \$10,000 was recovered when detectives arrested Miss Amelia Russell, twenty-one years old. It is alleged that the valuables were stolen from boarders in a number of West Side houses. George Chartis, Howard Johnson, Charles Brown, John Degman and Joseph Albertina were also arrested. On one of the men were found pawn tickets showing that \$2,000 in cash has been collected from various pawnshops. Police officials report that much of the jewelry had been identified.

The arrest of the young woman and Chartis were made in the woman's room. Chartis, according to the detectives, broke down and told of many robberies. He is twenty years old. He declared that under the leadership of the Russell woman he had robbed so many places he could not keep track of them. Fashionable West Side boardinghouses were the chief sufferers.

Newspaper Publishers Elect Officers.

New York, Feb. 22.—The twenty-first annual dinner of the American Newspaper Publishers' association at the Waldorf-Astoria attracted over 300 publishers. At the business session the following officers were elected: President, Herman Ridder, New York Staats Zeitung; vice president, Modill McCormick, Chicago Tribune; secretary, Elbert H. Baker, Cleveland Plain Dealer; treasurer, F. P. Call, New York Commercial.

ON A POINT OF ORDER.

Grazing Lease Provision to Be Eliminated From Agricultural Bill.

Washington, Feb. 22.—It was conceded by senators in charge of the agricultural appropriation bill in the senate that the grazing lease provision will be eliminated from the bill on a point of order. The reading of the agricultural bill was completed after most of the day had been spent in debate on the forestry system and the grazing land provision and the measure will again be considered for final action. There is to be decided objection, according to Senator Lodge, on several provisions relating to the bureau of chemistry of the department of agriculture and these were passed over for a day. An amendment was agreed to at the suggestion of Senator Nelson which will add \$5,000,000 each year to the appropriation for agricultural colleges until the total amount for each state for these colleges shall be \$50,000 annually, instead of \$20,000, as at present.

Senator Patterson has given notice of an amendment to segregate forest reserve lands according to their adaptability as forest lands, mining lands and agricultural lands.

OVER A HUNDRED DEAD

MAIL STEAMER BERLIN WRECKED

WHILE ENTERING PORT OF
HOOK OF HOLLAND.

ALL BUT ONE PERISHED

LIFESAVERS MADE HEROIC BUT

FUTILE ATTEMPTS TO SAVE
THE PASSENGERS.

London, Feb. 22.—The worst disaster for many years in the history of the busy cross-channel traffic between England and the continent occurred during a violent gale shortly before 6 o'clock a. m., when the Rotterdam mail steamer Berlin, from Harwich to Hook of Holland, having safely weathered the hurricane, was wrecked as she was entering port. Altogether 143 persons are either dead or clinging hopelessly to the wreck.

The terrific seas broke up the steamer with such awful suddenness that all efforts to save life appear to have been utterly hopeless. At a late hour in the evening it was reported that some few survivors were still clinging to the wreck, but as the heroic efforts all day long of the lifeboat crews had failed to reach them, little hope that they will be saved remains.

The story of the disaster is told with dramatic intensity by the following brief but pregnant messages reaching Harwich from the agent of the Great Eastern Railway company at Hook of Holland. The first message was handed in at the Hook at 6:20 a. m., and ran as follows: "The Berlin is stranded at the north pier. Her position is very dangerous. There is a heavy gale blowing. Tugs and lifeboats are going out to her assistance."

The second message was sent off at 7:20 and said:

"The position of the Berlin is still very dangerous. The heavy gale still is blowing. We have tried to take off the passengers with tugboat and lifeboat, but without success up to the present."

The third message was timed at the Hook at 7:42 and reached Harwich at 8:40. It said:

Vessel Soon Broke in Two.

"The Berlin has broken in two, and very probably will prove a total loss. Her crew are still on board. Lifeboats and tugs are trying to save the passengers."

The fourth message came through the London office of the railway company. It was timed at the Hook at 9:10, and said:

"It is impossible to reach the Berlin to save the passengers. We will do

the best we can. The poop of the ship is under water."

"Then at 10:36 came the fifth and last message:

"The Berlin is a total loss, with all her crew and passengers. Nobody has been saved."

No cause yet has been assigned for the terrible accident, and it probably never will be known how the steamer came to miss the channel which, although 300 yards wide and well buoyed and lighted, is always difficult of access in rough weather. It is conjectured that some derangement of the engines or steering gear may have rendered the vessel uncontrollable. Captain Precious of the Berlin had a good record of fourteen years' service. The list of passengers on the fated steamer was lost and all the names of those who were on board have not yet been learned, but as far as has been ascertained there were no Americans among the passengers.

At an early hour in the morning the Great Eastern railway company received a dispatch from the authorities at Hook of Holland, saying:

"Up to the present time only passenger, Patterson (Captain Parkinson?) has been saved."

FIVE PERSONS KILLED.

Express Train Collides With an Ice Train in Michigan.

Detroit, Feb. 22.—Four trainmen were killed and two others were injured when the fast American express train on the Michigan Central railroad, westbound, which left this city for Chicago at 2:57 p. m., collided with an ice train two miles west Ypsilanti. The express train was composed of express and mail cars only. The dead are:

Engineer John Scallen, Detroit; brakeman Thomas Little, Detroit; fireman C. Miller, Jackson; Mail Clerk Silar McIlvann, Detroit.

All of the killed and injured except Fireman Miller were on the express train. The accident, it was stated at the Michigan Central offices here, was caused by the engineer of the express train running past a semaphore which was sent against him.

Mail Clerk Parrish died on a relief train on the way to Detroit and Fireman Callon was taken to the Detroit sanitarium where he is in a critical condition.

Tug Sunk by a Cruiser.

Oxshaven, Germany, Feb. 22.—The tug Neufahrwasser of Bremerhaven went down after colliding with the German cruiser Medusa. The captain, the first mate, the second engineer and a fireman of the tug were drowned. Four of her crew were rescued.

Cup of Honor for Roosevelt.

Washington, Feb. 22.—President Roosevelt has been given a splendid cup of honor two feet high, a sample of Slavonic art. The cup was given by General Count Arthur De Tcherép-Spiridovitch, the president of the Slavonic society of Moscow, as an evidence of esteem, love and admiration of all the Slavonic people "for his noble work in bringing about peace between Russia and Japan."

THE DAILY DISPATCH.

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1907.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

A. Ousdahl went to St. Paul today on business.

Anna Sampson, of Pequot, was in the city today.

V. T. Kolb, of St. Paul, was in the city today.

California winesauterne at the Coates Liquor Co. 2216

N. A. Goldstrand went to St. Paul this morning.

W. Puntney, of Aitkin, was in the city yesterday.

John Kerr, of Villard, Minn., was in the city today.

R. Rearick, of Pillager, was in the city last night.

A. W. Clark, of Mandan, N. D., was in the city last night.

Card tables and folding chairs for rent at D. M. Clark & Co. 185tf

G. D. Braden, of Gadsden, Tenn., was in the city last night.

J. A. Nichols, of Little Falls, was in the city today on business.

W. A. Sneed, of Excelsior Mills, is in the city today on business.

Andrew J. Smith, of Sauk Centre, was in the city today on business.

Call up No. 256 if you want good dry wood promptly delivered by the H. H. Hitch Co. 2236

Mrs. Gothfred Lendblom left this morning for St. Paul for a few days visit.

Mrs. H. Mills and Miss Mills, of Bemidji, were in the city between trains today.

Do not forget the Washington social at the People's Congregational church tonight. 224tf

Deputy Revenue Collector French, of St. Cloud, was in the city last night on business.

Ed. S. Conrad, a wholesale cigar dealer of St. Paul, was in the city today on business.

F. W. Merritt, of Minneapolis, was in the city this morning enroute home from Deerwood.

Orne sells needles, shuttles and supplies for any and all kinds of sewing machines. 722 Laurel street. 217t12

The Misses Hage went to Deerwood this morning to spend Washington's birthday at home.

There will be a dance at the Midland hall tonight. Hoffbauer's orchestra will furnish the music.

There will be a Washington social at the People's Congregational church, East Brainerd tonight.

H. Dullum and John Olson went to Starbuck, Polk county, today to look over the country there.

If your sewing machine needs repairing or cleaning leave your order at Orne's store, 722 Laurel street. 217t12

W. H. Strachan returned today from a trip up on the Minnesota & International this afternoon.

M. C. Culver, of Ortonville, Minn., was in the city today looking after his interests in Crow Wing county.

Fred S. Parker went to the twin cities this morning to join Mrs. Parker. They expect to return home next week.

Take your dog to Hoffman's and have a muzzle made to fit him that he can wear with comfort, will make it while you wait. 2236

Harold Webb is again at his post at the Ransford billiard parlors, having nearly recovered from his attack of grip.

Miss Jennie Horner, one of the teachers of the Brainerd schools, went to her home in St. Cloud this morning to visit for a few days.

Otto Hanelin went to Merriam Park this morning to assist in installing the heating plant for the Manufacturer's Exchange building.

Call up the H. H. Hitch Co. 421 Front St., for your wood. All kinds, both sawed and cord wood promptly delivered. Telephone No. 256. 2236

D. M. Clark and M. E. Ryan went to St. Paul today to attend a meeting of the Knights of Columbus this evening and transact other business in the city.

Insurance adjusters were here yesterday and settled the loss on the R. Parker dry goods stock. A. Q. Parker states that they will open their sale some day next week.

The results of the Thaw trial will not affect my business. No matter who wins the case the people of Brainerd will send their washing to the Laurel Street Laundry. 220tf

There will be no services at the Swedish Baptist church on Sunday except Sunday school at noon on account of the dedication service at the First Baptist church.

Owing to it being a holiday today there were no weather predictions sent out. It may be the forecaster dare not predict for fear of the shade of the great truth teller.

The Mann telephone line from Midland is progressing finely. Poles are set for a distance of three miles this way from that burg and the crew is working this way at the rate of about a mile a day.

J. F. Dykeman returned yesterday afternoon from an extended trip throughout the western part of the state in the interests of the Modern Brotherhood of America. He reports a very successful trip.

There will be a platform meeting on "Civic Righteousness" at the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday evening. There will be especial music and addresses by several citizens. All interested in good citizenship are invited.

J. L. Ross, of St. Cloud, who was sent to Stillwater a few days ago for embezzlement, was well known here, having traveled in this territory for several years. It is reported that he has worked hotel men and business acquaintances for small loans all over his route.

Engineer Wm. Scott, of this city went west this afternoon with engine 1901 which he will take to Fargo. This is one of the heaviest engines on the system and it is said to weigh 185 tons with a full tank and tender. The engine has been in the shops for a thorough overhauling.

A marked copy of the Waterloo (Iowa) Daily Courier has been received at THE DISPATCH office showing the consolidation of the two cement block machine companies. D. D. Schrader, formerly of Pequot, is manager of the company absorbing its rival and the capital stock of the concern has been increased from \$75,000 to \$100,000.

Some people call coughing barking I see no reason why they should do either one or the other and they never would if they would only get a bottle of Skauge's never cough, a medicine which never fails to break up the worst cold going. No cure, no pay. Skauge the Laurel street druggist guarantees it. 187tf

Mr. D. M. Lumsden, representing Miss Florence Gale in David Belasco's great play, "La Belle Russe," arrived in the city this morning and is making preparations for her appearance here. It is claimed that Miss Gale's company will be the dramatic event of the season. She will be remembered as the young and beautiful Rosalind in "As You Like It," who toured the country two years ago to such tremendous business. The date decided upon is Wednesday, Feb. 27 at the opera house.

A tissue builder, reconstructor, builds up waste force, makes strong nerves and muscle. You will realize after taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea what a wonderful benefit it will do you, 35 cents, ten or tablets. H. P. Dunn & Co.

CHANGE IN GULF STREAM.

Strange Conditions Probably Due to Jamaica Earthquake.

Startling defections in the freshfish gulf stream and strange phenomena existing in the Mexican gulf, believed to be an indirect result of the Kingston earthquake, were recently revealed in an official report from Captain John C. Soley of the gulf division of the hydrographic office at New Orleans, says the Kansas City Star.

The stream has moved many miles to the west, now passing close to the coast of Central America in one big circle, turning to the north and east. Instead of keeping the famous blue it formerly described. Before the quake the gulf stream ran close to the western end of Cuba, curving and winding its way toward the American coast from the south, then turning away to the east and passing out around the Florida peninsula to the northern waters along the Atlantic coast.

Captain Soley fixes the location of a vast pool of oil 200 miles off the Louisiana coast, directly south of the mouth of the Atchafalaya river. To a depth of four feet there is nothing but greasy fluid. Off the Florida coast a fresh water sea has been discovered. It is an extensive area of fresh water, surrounded by salt water. Eddyling currents for hundreds of square miles keep this sea entirely different in color and quality from the gulf proper. Seaweed floats there and remains.

Galloping Ambulances.

The United States army medical officers are much impressed with the work which has been done with the galloping ambulance, a vehicle used in the British army and lately under test in the American service, says a Washington correspondent of the New York Tribune. Eight of these new ambulances, each to be drawn by a single horse, have been ordered by the quartermaster general and are to be sent to the various posts where cavalry troops are on duty. It is expected greater speed can be obtained with this vehicle than with any other type of ambulance, in addition to which quality it is so constructed as to withstand the shock and jar of rapid transit over rough country. One of these galloping ambulances will be sent to Cuba as soon as it is ready and will be subjected to severe tests in that island. The army surgeons, however, are perfectly satisfied that the galloping ambulance has come to stay and will hereafter form a part of the mobile equipment of the medical department in the field.

AMUSEMENTS

Florence Gale

Miss Florence Gale comes to the opera house on Wednesday Feb. 27th, in David Belasco's great play, "La Belle Russe." In the part of Geraldine, the famous character in this play, she is said to be superior to anyone who has attempted the part. The dramatic scenes between her and Dudley Brand is said to be one of the strongest pieces of acting seen in this city in years. Her supporting company is an excellent one. Miss Gale will be remembered as having played Rosalind in "As You Like It" for one of the longest tours ever given a



young star, and to the largest business in the history of anyone playing that piece. Critics have said that a more charming delineation of the character has seldom been seen. She infuses a charm that completely wins her audience, and a delicately expressed sorrow that claims the sincere sympathy of the audience in the heavier scene for the unfortunate Geraldine. Art as action and action as art are the two chief demands upon the portrayal of this part, nor are they interchangeable, while both are indispensable, and Miss Gale combines them to perfection.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures the most obstinate coughs and expels the cold from the system as is mildly laxative. It is guaranteed. The genuine is in the yellow package. H. P. Dunn & Co. mwtdw

New Dressmaking Parlors

Mrs. Buchanan and Mrs. Haight will open a dressmaking parlor at 223 North 7th St., Feb. 25. Best work at reasonable prices. 2236

La Grippe and Pneumonia

Foley's Honey and Tar cures la grippe coughs and prevents pneumonia. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. H. P. Dunn & Co. mwtdw

DEMOCRATS CAUSE DELAY.

Object to Provisions of the Sundry Civil Bill in the House.

Washington, Feb. 22.—Smarting under what they considered unfair treatment the Democrats resorted to a systematic series of objections against provisions in the sundry civil bill in the house. They compelled the Republicans to maintain 100 members, a quorum of the committee of the whole. The house passed a number of bills and resolutions, including one enlarging the act relating to Shanghaiing. Both the rivers and harbors bill and the naval appropriation bill were sent to conference.

When Mr. Tawney of Minnesota, chairman of the appropriations committee, moved that the house resolve itself into the committee of the whole for the consideration of the sundry civil appropriation bill and that general debate be limited to an hour, the motion was antagonized by Mr. Sulzer of New York, because it excluded a proposed speech of Mr. Clark of Florida on the management of the St. Elizabeth government insane asylum. Mr. Tawney explained the necessity for speedy action, but Mr. Sulzer persisted in his objection and the house resolved itself into committee of the whole. The opposition under the lead of Mr. Sulzer demanded the first reading of the bill and then for the first time at this session of congress the house listened for nearly three hours to the reading of a measure. Then Mr. Tawney explained the bill. Mr. Taylor (Ala.) followed and the reading of the bill was begun under the five-minute rule. Both Messrs. Clark and Sulzer made points of order against sections and generally were overruled.

Several times, on demand, a quorum was counted at the night session.

World's Biggest Power House.

When the contracts recently let by the Brooklyn Rapid Transit company are completed Brooklyn will have the largest power house in the world, says the Brooklyn Eagle. These contracts call for the duplication of the present power house on Kent avenue. The total cost will be upward of \$5,000,000 and the capacity upward of 150,000 horsepower. What this will mean for the service can be seen from the fact that on the heaviest days the present system does not call for over 120,000 horsepower from all sources. On the completion of the new structure its dynamo could keep in motion the traffic of the entire system should all the other power houses break down simultaneously.

All kinds of job work restly executed at this office.

PASSED BY THE HOUSE

TWO-CENT PASSENGER FARE BILL

GOES THROUGH WITH ONLY ONE NEGATIVE VOTE.

MEASURE WILL BECOME EFFECTIVE MAY FIRST OF THE

PRESENT YEAR.

St. Paul, Feb. 22.—The 2-cent passenger fare bill passed the house without debate, and with but a single vote in the negative. There is no compromise, but a straight maximum fare of 2 cents per mile, with a maximum of 1 cent per mile for children under twelve years. A fine of \$5,000 or imprisonment for one year in the state prison is provided for any company, agent or officer who asks or accepts a higher fare.

The bill came into the house as a committee bill, adopted unanimously by the railroad committee. The bill presented, however, follows closely the wording of the bill introduced by Burdette Thayer of Spring Valley. The three bills on the subject, House Files No. 3, 5 and 6, by Burdette Thayer, John Zelch of Cottage Grove and A. G. Johnson of St. Paul were recommended for indefinite postponement, as well as House File No. 39 by J. L. Wold of Twin Valley, which provided penalties for exacting excess fares.

The committee bill is made effective May 1, 1907. The penalty for charging or asking more than a 2-cent fare may be imposed on any officer or ticket agent, conductor or other employee of the company. Baggage of the usual amount must be transported free.

One docks now or hereafter constructed on railroad right of way or adjacent thereto are declared public ore docks in a bill introduced in the house by R. H. Jefferson of Bingham Lake. As such they are placed under the jurisdiction of the railroad and warehouse commission and must be licensed annually.

State Drainage Bill.

A bill for a comprehensive system of state drainage was introduced in the house by R. J. Wells of Breckenridge. The bill carries an annual appropriation of \$100,000 for a term of years for draining state lands. The present drainage commission, consisting of the governor, state auditor and secretary of state, is continued. The commissioners are to employ a state drainage engineer who is to have charge of the work. The bill has provisions similar to the other drainage bills for the appraisal of benefits and damages to private lands, for payment of assessments, for appeals and for the construction of ditches.

A new steel bridge over the glen at Minnehaha to the soldiers' home is provided in a bill introduced in the house by Harrison White of Luverne. An appropriation of \$40,000 is provided for a wagon and foot bridge to replace the present wooden foot bridge.

A new anti-rebate bill, in place of the one introduced the first of the session by J. G. Lennon of Minneapolis, was reported for passage by the house committee on railroads and placed on general orders. The new bill bears the name of the author of the former bill, and although a complete redraft of the bill, it follows the provisions of the former bill closely.

The repeal of the statutes requiring candidates for elective offices and treasurers of political organizations to file expense accounts is provided for in a bill introduced by Senator D. S. Hall of Buffalo Lake. The bill simply provides for the repeal of sections 350 and 358 of the Revised Laws of 1905, the former relating to the filing of affidavits of expenses by candidates and the latter to the filing of such affidavits by the treasurers of political committees.

Farm Machinery at State Prison.

Both the senate and the house passed bills authorizing the state board of control to establish a plant at the state prison at Stillwater for the manufacture of farm machinery, such as binders, mowers and rakes. While two separate bills were passed, each house acting on the measure introduced in its own body, the two bills are essentially the same.

The state school for dependent children at Owatonna will hereafter be managed by the state board of control, instead of by a board of managers, if two bills introduced by Senator Frank Clague of Lamberton become laws. Senator Clague also introduced a bill providing for the abolition of the board of directors of the Minnesota schools for the deaf and blind at Fairbault and conferring the exclusive management of these institutions upon the state board of control.

A bill to encourage education in agriculture and domestic science by providing for the establishment and maintenance of county schools for that purpose was introduced by Senators O. G. Dale of Madison and L. O. Thorpe of Willmar. The bill authorizes the county commissioners to appropriate money and levy a tax for this purpose not to exceed \$10,000 the first and second years and not to exceed \$3,000 in any year thereafter.

The senate finance committee has decided to make a favorable report on S. F. No. 270, which provides an appropriation of \$25,000 for the aid of farmers who have been rendered unable to purchase seed grain by reason of the excessive rain in 1905 and 1906.

A Happy Family--All Well Dressed

If it were possible for white goods, light dress fabrics and laces to bring forth spring, judging from the fine display of these materials in our store, spring would come at once.

For those who want the more plain sombre colors we have oceans of them. There are the cashmeres, serges, mohairs, panamas, voiles, Danish cloth for all who want them, but for those who want the more catchy, smart materials we have the light fabrics in plaids and checks which are bound to take the lead with those who want to be well dressed, and they will not cost you very much. Most merchants will tell you that the prices of dress fabrics and silks are going skyward and that there are still to be more advances, but today we have an immense line of light weight materials in the plaids and checks for spring wear, for 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 50c and 65c the yard. We know that you are interested in the low priced dress fabrics we are showing and we extend to you a hearty invitation to visit our store and admire them.

We can give you now the best, the plums of the spring season; but we cannot guarantee the future. The old adage, "The early bird catches the worm," will hold true in this case.

L. J. Gale's Department Store.

WHITE BROS.,

CONTRACTORS and BUILDERS

....and Dealers in....

Hardware, Stoves, Sporting Goods, Etc.

Get our estimates on work Before building ** **

616 Laurel St.,

Brainerd, Minn.

TO KEEP WARM

Take a nip of the real stuff, liquor that is guaranteed to be

PURE

The place to get such goods is of the



JOHN COATES LIQUOR CO.,
Imperial Block, - Brainerd, Minn.

NEW

Meat Market

FINE SAUSAGE

We have secured a fine sausage maker and are now prepared to put on sale sausages of all kinds, properly and cleanly made, and at the very lowest prices. Try our sausage and you will use no other. All kinds kept for sale.

STOYKE & STROPP,
Proprietors.

Cor. Laurel and Seventh Sts.

Hotel Earl

214-216 So. 5th St.,

Brainerd, - Minnesota

...Open Day and Night.

Newly Re-Furnished Throughout—First-class in Every Way.

Lunch Counter in Connection

JULE JAMIESON, Prop

FOOLING

THE PEOPLE

Abraham Lincoln said you can fool some people all the time, you can fool all the peoplesome times, but you can not fool all the people all the time.

Bell

Coffee

is the coffee that stays by the people all the time. It is sold in moisture and dust proof packages, a special blend of the best South American Mocha and Java and is selected by a special agent of J. H. Bell & Co., from private growth plantations. It is superior to any offered heretofore at a moderate price.

People have found that Bell Coffee is a little better than most coffee at the same price, and while some merchants may refuse to sell it, because they can make more on something else.

People who insist on having Bell Coffee will find that merchants can supply them.

DR. JOS. NICHOLSON,

O'Brien Block

712 1/2 Laurel. Tel 7-j.3.

Open day and night.

Special Announcement

We desire to announce to the ladies of Brainerd and vicinity that our Mr. L. A. Sherbano, manager of our shoe department will be at the

Ransford Hotel, Feb. 25th
with a full and complete line of

High grade shoes and Oxfords

in all the newest lasts and leathers for coming spring and summer wear. He will be more than pleased to show you these goods and will also be prepared to take and satisfactorily fill any orders with which you may favor him.

Mannheimer Bros.

St. Paul Minn.

TEL. 118 213 6 SOUTH.

MANN BROS.

SATURDAY MARKET DAY

Straw Berries	Florida	18c
Grape Fruit	Large	12c
Bananas	per dozen	30c
Malaga Grapes	per pound	25c
Oranges Large	90 size	45c
Cranberries	per quart	10c
Celery	well bleached	10c
Lettuce	hot house	5c
Parsley	per bunch	5c
Sweet Potatoes	Jersey, 6 pounds for	25c
Wild Rice	per pound	20c
Dates	per pound	8c
Pop Corn	Sure Pop	3c
Prunes	Nice California	6c
Prunes	Large California	12c
Coffee	Extra Rio	15c
Coffee	Whynot Special Blend	20c
Coffee	Whynot fine cup quality	35c
Tea	40c grade	25c
Tea	Extra Fine Japan	50c
Soap	12 bars for	25c

Special Sale on Toilet Soap

Teachers' Certificates

I have received teachers' certificates for the following named teachers, who can call at the office tomorrow and get them:

Anna Anderson, Louise H. Anderson, Sue Bennington, Nettie Brockway, Agnes Caughey, Anna Caulfield, Lillian Chadwick, A. M. Crapo, Lottie Darling, Winifred Eastman, Jessie Evans, Allyce Green, Ann S. Head, Elizabeth Hoerner, George H. Hutchins, Floy Jeffers, Marie Knebel, Emma Knutzen, Hazel Manning, Julia McGill, Carrie Peterson, Luverne Phremmer, Rachel Roderick, Clara Scherfenberg, Clara Tuck, Mildred Winter.

J. A. Wilson,
County Supt.

Remember the new wood yard when you want wood. 421 Front street, telephone 256.

It's queer where these trains have been "installed" that no one has seen them—wonder if the brother did not mix them with some of the trains "stalled" in the snow on other railroads.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN,
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

It's the highest standard of quality, a natural tonic, cleanses your system, reddens the cheeks, brightens the eyes, gives flavor to all you eat. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do this for you. 35 cents, tea or tablets. H. P. Dunn & Co.

CLUB GOES AFTER STATE SCHOOL

Requests Representatives to
Work for State Training
School for Brainerd

CLUB WILL OFFER FREE SITE

Deerwood Hatchery, Railroad

Bills and Tonnage Law all

Receive Attention

A special meeting of the Commercial club was called for Friday evening to take up the matter of trying to secure the location of the proposed state training school at Brainerd. The attendance was fair and the meeting made up in enthusiasm for any lack in numbers. A committee consisting of Messrs. Con O'Brien, N. H. Ingersoll, M. T. Dunn and Warner Hemstead was appointed to go to St. Paul in the interests of the location of the school here and it was pledged by the club that there would be a free site given if the school was located here. The committee was also instructed to take up and push the matter of the location of a fish hatchery at Deerwood.

Geo. D. LaBar the chairman of the railway committee addressed the club in the matter of the wave of radical railroad legislation rolling over the country, and expressed the conviction that Brainerd had been largely built up and expected to be still further aided by the friendly attitude of the railroads and he believed that it was the sentiment of the city that radical anti-railroad legislation was inimical to the city. He closed by presenting the following preamble and resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

February 21, 1907.
The Commercial Club of Brainerd, believing that this state still requires vast expenditures in terminals, trackage and equipment from the railroad companies, which can not reasonably be expected with the sweeping exactions required in the various bills now pending, and remembering, also, that this district requires much development which can be greatly hastened by the friendly attitude of the railway company, as has been evidenced in this city for several months past, and with a prospective continuance of the same,

Resolved, therefore, that this club earnestly requests the senator and the representatives from this district to act in a most careful and conservative manner in the various railroad bills now pending before the legislature.

The legislative committee reported that it would favor the adoption of an anti compact bill. This committee was also instructed to prepare and forward to the representatives and senator from this district a resolution opposing the tonnage mine tax bill, it being stated that if a tax of 25 cents per ton were imposed on all ore mined in the state there would never be a ton mined in Crow Wing county during the lifetime of any man present.

Special Announcement Regarding the National Pure Food and Drug Law

We are pleased to announce that Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung troubles is not affected by the National Pure Food and Drug law as it contains no opiates or other harmful drugs, and we recommend it as a safe remedy for children and adults. H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfdw

Tax Commissioner Dismissed.

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 20.—Tax Commissioner Frank E. Healy has been removed from office by Governor Woodruff for improper conduct as a state officer. He was charged with offering to secure a Hartford county commissionership for Howard U. Steele upon payment of \$1,200. Healy was dismissed after a hearing.

Think what good baking powder means in cooking. Then profit by the reputation of Hunt's Perfect—made in Minneapolis.

CONFIRMED PROOF

Residents of Brainerd Cannot Doubt What has Been Twice Proven

In gratitude for complete relief from aches and pains of bad backs from distressing kidney ills—thousands have publicly recommended Doan's Kidney Pills. Residents of Brainerd, who so testified years ago, now say their cures were permanent. This testimony doubly proves the worth of Doan's Kidney Pills to Brainerd kidney sufferers.

James Parker, carpenter, of 124 N. E. 2nd ave., Brainerd, Minn., says: "Every winter since I had the grippe I was unable to shake off its effects. My back commenced to pain me across the kidneys with a numb sort of aching which I felt always over the lame spot, even when lying in bed. I was always troubled with headache which I think arose from my kidneys. I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills and used them. Since then I have been in much better health, have no more attacks of headache, no more backache and I regard it as quite wonderful that any remedy could bring about such a change."

On October 18, 1904, six years after Mr. Parker made the above statement, the testimony was confirmed by Mrs. Parker. She said: "Mr. Parker's statement was true in every particular, and we both feel that Doan's Kidney Pills can be relied upon to cure every form of kidney trouble. We are always glad to advise sufferers to go to H. P. Dunn & Co.'s drug store for Doan's Kidney Pills and give them a trial."

For sale by all druggists. Price 50 cents. Foster Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

DEATH OF MRS. WAITE

Mrs. Elmore Waite, of Gull Lake Died
Last Night—Funeral Arrangements

Not Yet Made

Anna B. Waite, wife of Elmore Waite, of Gull lake, died last night in child birth. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Parker Waite, well known residents of Gull lake and she has many friends in and around Brainerd who will sorrow to hear of her death. No funeral arrangements have been made as yet.

It's a good old world after all;

If you have no friends or money,

In the river you can fall;

Marriages are quite common and,

More people there would be,

Provided you take Rocky Mountain

Tea.

H. P. Dunn & Co.

STRAY LEAVES

From a Reporter's Note Book.

When a certain Brooklyn, N. Y., business man wants to get up at 7 o'clock in the morning he mails a postal card to himself the afternoon before and the postman's whistle on his early rounds invariably awakes him.

The Southern Minnesota and Western Wisconsin Beekeepers' association wants the legislature to pass a "foul brood law." Next thing they will be requiring us to muzzle our bees. That will be all right if the state will muzzle the mosquitoes also.

There were a large number of birds around the railroad park Friday that were strangers to most of us and there were many inquiries as to their name. They were about the color of one of the so-called green canaries but were chunky in appearance and considerably larger than a canary.

A local dealer telephoned to the Twin Cities for dog muzzles Friday and was told that there was not one to be bought in the Twin Cities because of the rabies scare. The muzzle order only went into effect today but dogs are scarce on the streets already.

This May Interest You

No one is immune from kidney trouble, so just remember that Foley's Kidney Cure will stop the irregularities and cure any case of kidney and bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfdw

AN ENJOYABLE PARTY

Two South Side Maidens Entertained

Thursday Evening in Honor of

Teacher, Miss Sherry

Misses Lulu Houseman and Ethel Quinn gave a pleasant surprise party at the home of the former, 617 South Ninth street, Friday evening in honor of their teacher, Miss Sherry. The evening was pleasantly passed by about 35 invited guests in playing games, etc. Light refreshments were served and all went home feeling that they had thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

ACTUALLY CURES CATARRH

H. P. Dunn Co.'s Faith in Hyomei is so Strong They Sell it Under Guarantee

It is one thing to claim, another thing to back up the claim by a statement that if it is not proven true, there will be no charge for the service or the goods.

It is this way that H. P. Dunn & Co. sell Hyomei, for they have so much faith in its powers to cure all forms of catarrh and bronchial troubles, that they give an absolute, unqualified guarantee with every outfit that if the remedy does not cure, the money will be refunded.

Hyomei is based on nature's way of curing catarrh. It contains the concentrated healing oils and gums of the pine woods, prepared in such form that they can be brought into your own home. It gives the health advantages of the Adirondacks in such form that you can be cured of catarrh and affections of the nose, throat and lungs while at home or at work.

A complete Hyomei outfit costs but \$1, and extra bottles, if needed, may be obtained for 50c.

With Hyomei you can cure catarrh pleasantly and easily at small expense, with no risk of the treatment costing a penny unless it cures.

DAVID HARUMS OF POLITICS.

London Paper Fears Bryce Is No Match For Roosevelt and Root.

The London Outlook professes to feel a certain anxiety as it looks forward to James Bryce's tenure of his ambassadorial office. It regards Mr. Bryce as an incurable idealist who is likely to suffer in Washington as in Dublin from contact with the realities that await him.

"It is one thing," says the Outlook, "to write admirably on the American commonwealth. It is another and very different thing to uphold the interests of the empire against American statesmen. When it comes to a matter of international bargaining, Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Root require to be watched as one would watch a New England farmer in the mazes of a horse deal."

Art Needlework

We are showing the newest ideas in Wallachian Embroidery. This novel work is attracting much attention. You should inspect it.

A large and more attractive assortment of shadow and Biedermair pieces just reached us. There are novelties in oblong baby pillows, square pillows, whisk broom holders, kimonas, waists—elbow and long sleeves—dresser sets, corset covers—different styles—drawers, chemise, gowns and center pieces. All these are put up in packages with sufficient floss to complete your piece of work. Every piece stamped on fine material best adapted for its kind of embroidery. Free instructions given by competent teachers.

Art Cretonnes

and Japanese draperies were never so beautiful in color schemes and designs. If you have a cozy corner to fit up we know we can supply your wants.

A. E. MOBERG

218 7th St. South

Would You Like to See

something novel in the line of POSTAL CARDS? We are showing something entirely new and appropriate in this line, besides we have a number of those New Hand Colored Brainerd Views which will please you.

We have a nice lot of Cut Flowers coming daily: Violets, Roses, Carnations, Etc.

Milton's Layer Brick Ice
Cream, nice and fresh.

M. K. SWARTZ
DRUCCIST.

HUNTING FOR HER BROTHER

Mrs. Maggie Brodens, of Rehoboth, Massachusetts, Writes
The Dispatch

NAME IS JOHN MARCHAND

Formerly Worked Around Brainerd as an Employee of
Lumber Camps

THE DISPATCH has received the following letter which it makes public in the hope of assisting in the search for Mr. Marchand:

EDITOR DISPATCH—I am writing to you for information about my only brother. His name is John Marchand. I have not seen him for over 30 years and have not heard from him for 16 years and lately I heard that he was living and made it his home around Brainerd working for some lumber company. I suppose as a wood chopper. In the summer he works for farmers in Dakota and Minnesota. I would like to hear from him. I have advertised for him in some French papers but have never found him yet. We were left orphans when we were babies. He is now about 47 years old and I have heard that he was in poor health and in need so I would like to hear from him. If you think it is best to put an advertisement in your paper or you might be able to find him for me by writing to some of the lumber companies around Brainerd and send me the bill and I will send you the money by money order. Hoping to hear from you soon.

Yours truly,

MRS. MAGGIE BRODENS,
Rehoboth, Mass.

Box 27

The editor of the Memphis, Tenn., "Times" writes: "In my opinion Foley's Honey and Tar is the best remedy for coughs, colds and lung trouble, and to my own personal knowledge Foley's Honey and Tar has accomplished many permanent cures that have been little short of marvellous." Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfdw

For Sale

1313 Oak street S. E.

IT WILL NOT DISAPPOINT YOU

MATT J. JOHNSON'S 6088

Has cured thousands. Our guarantee is evidence of that. If you are not satisfied after taking half of the first bottle, you

GET YOUR MONEY BACK

Read what the oldest printer in Minnesota says it did for him:

EDITORIAL ENDORSEMENT

"The readers of the A. O. U. W. Guide who may be afflicted with rheumatism are hereby informed that we have used this remedy, 6088, in our family for two years; that a single bottle cured rheumatism of the arm of six months' standing, and rheumatism of the foot of a year's standing, after experimenting with several regular prescriptions and receiving no relief."

"DAVID RAMALLEY,"
"St. Paul."

Sold and guaranteed by

M. K. SWARTZ.

Chronic Constipation Cured

One who suffers from chronic constipation is in danger of many serious ailments. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup cures chronic constipation as it aids digestion and stimulates the liver and bowels, restoring the natural action of these organs. Commence taking it today and you will feel better at once. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or gripe and is very pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfdw

A Ivertised Letters.

The following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed for, at the Brainerd, Minn., postoffice for the week ending Friday, Feb. 22, 1907: When called for say "Advertised."

Abrahamson Wm	Erickson August
Anders n John W	Erickson Miss Nellie
Baker Byron	Gustafson P O
Baker Willie E	Hutchinson C H
Barnum D W	Leonard Jay
Bryns John	McGuire John
Burnes T	Niskala Mrs Jani
Calver Wm	Puronen Johan
Canfield Miss Florence V	Smith Mrs William O
Cohen Chas	Swanson Albert
Doe Mrs Joseph	Thomas J W
	N. H. INGERSOLL, Postmaster.

The DISPATCH will be delivered at your door for 40 cents per month.

Up-to-Date Hardware Store News

A NEW LINE

of 3 coat Enameledware in brown and white.
Something neat and good. Ask to see the

Vandyke Ware

Everything from spoons to dish pans, also a full line of Lisk 4xTinware and Lisk 3 piece Enameled Roasters.

Slipp-Gruenhagen Co.

217-219 South 7th Street.

REMARKABLE DEMAND FOR COOPER MEDICINES

The Phenomenal sale of L. T. Cooper's new preparations proves the many reports of their marvelous curative properties.



MR. H. JORDAN.

The demand for Cooper's New Discovery and Quick Relief, which have effected such remarkable cures of stomach trouble, rheumatism, deafness and catarrh, has become enormous. Newspapers in every city have commented upon the curative powers and on the unprecedented demand of these remedies. Thousands of letters come every day to Mr. Cooper describing some of the most remarkable recoveries from the ravages of disease that have been brought to the attention of the public in recent years. A most remarkable letter was recently received from Mr. H. Jordan, a well known restaurant proprietor of Scranton, who writes Mr. Cooper as follows:

"I have suffered for the past three years with a severe case of stomach trouble. I could eat next to nothing and suffered untold agonies from indigestion. My food would sour after eating and I would have sick headaches and dizzy spells. I lost forty pounds in weight and grew weak and nervous. I doctored with many different physicians and tried a number of so-called remedies, but received no relief. Reading of the remarkable cures of stomach trouble effected by Cooper's New Medicines, I decided to give them a trial. I secured a bottle of the New Discovery and received almost immediate relief. My appetite has returned and I do not experience any difficulty in digesting anything I eat. All pain and nervousness have disappeared and I am rapidly gaining in strength and weight. I desire to thank you for the good these remarkable remedies have done for me." Signed: MR. HENRY JORDAN, 136 Penn Ave., Scranton, Pa.

Nearly all diseases originate in the stomach. Cooper's New Discovery acts directly on the stomach and digestive organs. It increases the gastric juices, which are an all-important factor in the proper digestion of food. Cooper's New Discovery and Cooper's Quick Relief are the preparations with which L. T. Cooper effected his remarkable cures in St. Louis, New Orleans and other large cities, and results have amply proven that they can be used in the home with as much success as though administered personally by Mr. Cooper or his physicians.

Cooper's New Discovery costs \$1.00 per bottle; six for \$5.00. Cooper's Quick Relief costs 50c. You can get them of

H. P. DUNN & CO.

STATE LAW IS UPHELD.

Minnesota Papers Must Not Publish Details of Executions.

St. Paul, Feb. 22.—The supreme court has filed an opinion which in effect upholds the constitutionality of the John Day Smith law, which prohibits newspapers from printing details of the execution of criminals in this state.

The case originated from the publishing of the details of the William Williams execution by the daily news-

papers of St. Paul. The newspapers were indicted at that time and they interposed a demurrer to the indictment attacking the constitutionality of the law and contending that the facts stated were not sufficient to constitute a public offense.

The demurrer was overruled by Judge Bunn and the case went to the supreme court on appeal. The decision of the supreme court sustains Judge Bunn and the case now reverts to the district court to be tried on its merits.

QUITE GENERALLY FAVORABLE.

Developments in Actual Trade and Industry.

New York, Feb. 22.—Bradstreet's review of trade says actual trade and industrial developments are quite generally favorable, better weather conditions and the easing of the railroad blockades being largely instrumental in this direction. Jobbing trade in the spring and summer fabrics has expanded at the East, at leading Southern western centers, and at prominent Southern markets. Better reports also come from the Northwest, where the railroads are winning out of the snow blockades, and in the North Pacific coast, where the car congestion is less acute and preparations for spring trade are noted. There is also a better tone to advices from the South Atlantic states, which suffered a reduction of crop yields last fall, and Southern advices as a whole reflect the swing of an enormous, if not indeed, record, cotton crop at excellent prices. Collections are still irregular but tend to slowness, as retail trade in winter goods is largely over and spring business has hardly begun. Retail stocks of winter goods have been well reduced, however.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

William C. McMillan, eldest son of the late United States Senator James McMillan of Michigan, is dead at Detroit.

Harry Lewis of Philadelphia received the decision over Mike (Twin) Sullivan of Boston in a ten-round bout Thursday night at Denver.

The inter-synodical foreign missionary convention for men of the Presbyterian church has completed its work at Omaha and adjourned sine die.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Minneapolis Wheat. Minneapolis, Feb. 21.—Wheat—May, 78½c; July, 79¼c; Sept., 77½c. On track—No. 1 hard, 81½c; No. 1 Northern, 80½c; No. 2 Northern, 78½c; No. 3 Northern, 74½c to 76c.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Feb. 21.—Wheat—To arrive and on track—No. 1 hard, 80½c; No. 1 Northern, 79½c; No. 2 Northern, 77½c; May, 79½c; July, 80½c; Sept., 78c. Flax—To arrive and on track, \$1.21½; May, \$1.22½; July, \$1.22½; Oct., \$1.18.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

St. Paul, Feb. 21.—Cattle—Good to choice steers, \$5.50 to \$6.25; common to good, \$4.00 to \$5.00; good to choice cows and heifers, \$3.50 to \$4.75; veals, \$4.50 to \$5.75. Hogs—\$6.70 to \$6.85. Sheep—Wethers, \$4.75 to \$5.25; good to prime spring lambs, \$6.50 to \$7.00.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Feb. 21.—Wheat—May, 77½c; July, 77½c to 77¾c. Corn—May, 47½c to 47¾c; July, 46½c to 46¾c. Oats—May, 41½c; July, 37½c. Pork—May, \$16.70; July, \$16.82½ to \$16.85. Butter—Creameries, 22 to 22½c; dairies, 20 to 30c. Eggs—23 to 25c. Poultry—Turkeys, 11c; chickens and springs, 11c.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.

Chicago, Feb. 21.—Cattle—Beefers, \$4.10 to \$6.90; cows and heifers, \$1.50 to \$2.20; stockers and feeders, \$2.50 to \$4.75; Texans, \$3.65 to \$4.75; calves, \$6.00 to \$7.50. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$6.80 to \$7.10; rough heavy, \$6.80 to \$6.90; light, \$6.80 to \$7.05; pigs, \$6.20 to \$6.75. Sheep, \$3.65 to \$5.60; lambs, \$4.75 to \$7.65.

TRAGEDY IN CHICAGO

WIFE OF A MILLIONAIRE KILLS THE PROPRIETOR OF AN ART COMPANY.

MOTIVE FOR CRIME UNKNOWN

WOMAN BECAME HYSTERICAL AFTER THE SHOOTING AND IS NOW INSANE.

Chicago, Feb. 22.—Webster H. Guerlin, alias Louis Fisher of 655 West Harrison street and proprietor of the Harrison Art company, was shot and killed in his office in the Omaha building at La Salle and Van Buren streets by Mrs. Flora McDonald, wife of Michael C. McDonald, a millionaire, who was for many years the Democratic political "boss" of Chicago.

The motive for the killing is not known. Mrs. McDonald became hysterical immediately after the shooting and was unable to make a connected statement. From what she has said, however, it is believed that for some time Guerlin had obtained money from her by the threat of making disclosures to her husband unless paid for keeping silent.

Shortly before noon Mrs. McDonald entered Guerlin's office and the latter as soon as she entered directed his office boy, Hermann Hanson, to leave and return later. A quarrel between Mrs. McDonald and Guerlin had already commenced when the boy left the office. Within fifteen minutes after the departure of Hanson the report of a revolver was heard and when other occupants of the building rushed to the door of Guerlin's office they found it locked with Mrs. McDonald endeavoring to escape through a hole she had made with the butt end of her revolver in the glass which formed the upper half of the door. Her face was covered with blood, which streamed from a number of small cuts inflicted by the glass.

Lorenz Blas, who occupied an adjoining office to Guerlin's, was the first to reach the door and with the help of Jacob O'Neill and Charles Williams, who arrived an instant later, he pulled Mrs. McDonald through the door and took the revolver from her.

Woman Became Hysterical.

Mrs. McDonald refused to give her name or to state what had occurred in Guerlin's office and within a few minutes became so hysterical and incoherent as to be unable to say anything.

In the lower part of the building when the shooting occurred were two police officers on their way to Guerlin's office at the direction of Chief of Police Collins to investigate Guerlin's business, concerning which complaints had been made to the police. It was claimed by several people that Guerlin had been demanding exorbitant sums of money for making enlargements of photographs and threatening legal proceedings if the amount was not immediately forthcoming.

These officers arrived at Guerlin's office within a few minutes after the shooting and placed Mrs. McDonald under arrest.

Inside the office the furniture was thrown around as though a struggle had taken place and Guerlin was lying dead upon the floor with a bullet wound back of the ear.

Mrs. McDonald, still unidentified, was taken to the Harrison street station and her identity was not known until her uncle, B. M. Schaffner, entered the station. He was at a loss for a reason leading up to the shooting of Guerlin and the husband of Mrs. McDonald, who came immediately to her cell, declared that he knew of no reason why she should have shot him except that possibly he had endeavored to extort money from her. Mr. McDonald declared that some years ago Guerlin had followed his wife to California and insisted upon receiving sums of money from her.

Mrs. McDonald was completely overcome when her husband came to her cell and was utterly unable to talk in a connected manner. She made some remarks to the effect that Guerlin had struck her before the shooting.

Physicians who attended Mrs. McDonald at night declared that she had gone hopelessly insane. Mr. McDonald spent the night with his wife at the police station, but she did not recognize him.

The woman's relatives say the tragedy was provoked because Guerlin blackmailed her. Friends of Guerlin insist that he was the victim of a woman scorned.

WITHOUT FOUNDATION.

Reports That Emperor and Empress of Russia Had Been Assassinated.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 22.—The reports spread abroad that the emperor and the empress had been assassinated are utterly and absolutely without foundation. There was not even a rumor of the occurrence here until it was telegraphed from London.

Bayce Arrives in Washington.

Washington, Feb. 22.—Hon. James Bryce, the new British ambassador to Washington, accompanied by Mrs. Bryce, arrived here at 4:30 o'clock p. m. They were met at the station by Mr. Esme Howard, councillor of legation and charge d'affaires, and the entire embassy staff and women.

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Chicago, Feb. 22.—President Cornelius P. Shea of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters and his fellow defendants who have been on trial on a charge of conspiracy committed during the teamsters' strike against the department stores in Chicago two years ago, were found not guilty by a jury in the criminal court at night. The jury reported to the court after being out nearly four hours.

This was the second trial of the case, the jury disagreeing the first time. The second trial was a direct contrast to the first, owing to the quick progress made both in securing the jury and in presenting the evidence. It was begun on Feb. 1 and the jury was completed nineteen days later, whereas seventy-eight were consumed in securing the former jury, and the trial lasted in all 31 days. One of the features of the second trial was the liberty extended the jurors by Judge Cavanaugh, who permitted them to visit their homes, accompanied by deputy sheriffs, so that they might give attention to important personal business and see their families. Special arrangements were made also for gymnasia and other privileges for the men. The cost of the trial is estimated at \$10,000. The former one is said to have cost \$100,000.

The chief witnesses for the state in this, as in the former trial, were Albert Young, president of a rival teamsters' organization, and two others of the original defendants, all of whom turned state's evidence during the progress of the former trial.

An Explanation.

To say that America has produced no great writers is not saying very much. There are many other forms of greatness besides those provided by literature, and no visitor to America could be otherwise than struck by the indications of achievement that he sees on all sides of him, says Clement Shorter in the London Sphere. To say, therefore, that America has produced no great writers is only to say that the conditions have, for the present at least, gone by under which any country can produce great writers. When the conquest of all the forces of nature that the last half century has seen has completed itself we may have another great literary epoch in England and in America, but this is not the time for it.

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